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Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad. Schedule in effect May 21st, 1899.

TRAINS LEAVE FREDERICKSHURG Leave Northward. 5.12 A. M. daily. 9.16 A. M. Daily except Sunday, local, t

Quantico only, 10.18 A. M. Sundays only, 11.38 A. M. daily except Sunday, 1.37 P. M. daily except Sunday, Does no stop between Fredericksburg and Quantico 9.28 P. M. daily,

Leave Southward. 6.55 A. M. daily. Stops only at Milford Doswelland Ashland, week days. Makes all ocal stops Sundays. 12 48 P. M. daily except Sunday. Makes all

local stops.

1 T. P. M. Daily except Sunday. Stops only at Milford, Doswell, Ashiand and Glon Allen, 5.50 P. M. Daily stops only at Doswell and

5.50 P. M. Daily stops only at local stops.

6.44 P. M. Daily makes all local stops.

Fredericksburg and Richmond Accomodation, Daily except Sunday.

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Entries close July 10. Over \$1,200 in prepulms.

Rev. Dr. T. S. Dunaway Will Deliv-

er the Pictures at Lancaster. Rev. Dr. T. S. Danaway arrived here Wednesday from Washington and left for a visit of several weeks to his old home in Lancaster, by Steamer Westmoreland, Thursday. Dr. Dunaway has accepted an invitation while there to deliver in an appropriate speecch to Judge T. R B. Wright, of the Circuit Court, the framed pictures of Col. John Chowning, Col. Addison Hall, Judge Ellyson Currie, Judge Samuel L. Straughan and Capt. Henry S. Hathaway, all former prominent officers of Lancaster County Court. These gentlemen also filled important positions such as Justices of the Peace, Commissioners in Chancery and Trustees of the Glebe fund, practioners at the bar, members of the General Assembly and of the Constitutional Convention of 1850 and 1861. Other pictures will be delivered by other gentlemen at the same time to the court, in special session for that purpose on the 4th of July, all of them to be hung in the Courthouse, memorial of the characters and deeds of these distinguished citizens and faithful public servants

Straw and Chaff Burned.

Mr. M F. Waite bad just finished threshing his wheat on his farm, in Spotsylvania, near Brockenburg, Thursday, when a spark from the engine set fire to the straw and chaff entirely deemoying it. The wheat was saved.

Local and Current Comments.

Mr. and Mrs. James R Leitch, of Liberty, Mo., are visiting relatives in

Mr and Mrs. J. P. Holladay, of Lewison, Spotsylvania county, were in the city yesterday.

ommissioners.

A new office has been established at La Grange, Culpeper county, with Charles E. Payne as postmaster. Mr. B. F. Graves, of Spotsylyvaia,

was among the visitors at The Free Lance office Thursday. Last Saturday Mr. W. T. Wiggenton ground the first new wheat this season at Kellogg's mill, in Stafford county.

Miss Gracie E. Powell, of Loudoun, is among the late arrivals to attend the Normal and is the guest of Mrs. M. S.

Beautiful ginghams, figured piques, check mushin, dotted mushins and wash goods of all kinds now being opened at E. T. Baker's.

Our popular ex-Postmaster H. H. Wallace has been elected a director in the National Bank here to succeed the late Hon. Jacob Tome.

Mr. T. R. Garrison, the well-known merchant of Garrisonville, Stafford county, was in the city on business Thursday and a welcome caller at the

Free Lance office. New line of Ladies Muslin Under-

wear, Beautiful New Garments just out of the factory. Every garment a bargain. Come and see them, at T. N. Breut's. Rev. W. J. Morton, of Tappaban-nock, has been tendered a call to St. Paul's, the King George C. H. and Port Conway Episcopal churches, which

he has under consideration. Mr. W. T. Smith, of the Davis Pho tograph Gallery, will accept our thanks for a handsome picture of the Collis monument, at Chancellorsville, surrounded by a group of the Collis'

Mr. Henry L. Biscoe, of Spotsylyield from amount of straw on land

generally is large.

Secretary J Jenkyn Davies, of the

You will find at Hall's Drug Store the nost complete assortment of sick room equisites. Hot water bottles, air pil-ows, fountain and bulb syringes. rubber bed pans, s ft rubber face bettles, atomizers and all appliances needed ither by physician or patient.

Mr. R L Biscoe, of the county, was Mr. R. D. Bissel, and the candy was considerably bruised but not seriously hurt in a runaway accident last. Thes-day. His horse hitched to a buggy be came frightened, ran away and over-turned the vehicle. The horse was

Railroad Route Being Surveyed.

For sometime engineers have been at work surveying a route for a proposed railroad northward through Hanover. Caroline, and Spotsylvania. The party have reached Fredericksburg, but are as dumb as oysters so far as any information can be obtained. It is the gene ral belief that the survey is being made by the Seaboard Air Line. J. Skelton Williams, president. This road has seoured the North Carolina road to looking for a connection at Washington. The route surveyed will strike Fredericksburg about Alart & Mo-Guire's Pickle Factory and along the valley, through E. D. Cole's lot on Hanover street, thence south of the Cemetery and around the Washington Monument to the Silk Mills, crossing the Rappahannock River above French the route will be thence will be determined as the survey is made.

Fourth of July Excursion Rates. July 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th we will sell round trip tickets to Washington,

Alexandria and all points on the R., F. & P. R. R. Fare to Washington mond \$2.60. Tickets will be good going only on date of sale, and for continuous passage in each direction. Final limit to return July 7th, 1899.

C. C. Cox, Agent.

A Rare Compliment.

Messrs Charles H. Hurkamp and Duff Green, of Fredericksburg, Va. their handsome show-ring jumper facts and I leave it to the Council if ing class at the Upperville Horse Show | terest of the taxpayers." June 15th instant. This ribbon was presented by a beautiful Fauquier girl lace & Bro. made you a less bid than as an expression of the sentiment of the | you are paying, 'said Mr. Cole, "Yes,' vast audience present, and is more ap- said Mr. McCracken, that is true, but preciated than any ribbon ever won by it was after the contract was made them in the show-ring. It is indeed a and I would sooner resign my seat in rare compliment where an audience the Council than I would go back on a should show such a universal expression of sentiment.

Slaughter-Williams.

The home of Mr. George M Williams, known as Redwood, near Culpeper, was the scene Wednesday evening at 5 o'clock of a quiet, but very beautiful home wedding when Miss Lucy Pendleton Williams became the bride of Mr. Edwin L. Slaughter, formerly of that county, but now of Baltimore.

Fredericksburg, Va ,June 30th, 1899. The R , F. & P. freight depot will be closed on July 4th, 1899

C. C. Cox.

"I wave used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for years and always with good results," says Mr. W. B. Cooper of El Rio, Cal. 'For small children we find it especially effective " For sale by M. M. Lewis, Druggist.

It has been decided to give General Otis an effective fighting force of 30 -000 men during the rainy season in the

Oaptain P. H. McCaull, of the U. S. Quartermaster's Department, who for eight months was in command of the United States transport McLain, and was mustered out about a month ago, has been reappointed in the regular volunteer service, and assigned to his old post.

CITY COUNCIL

Last Meeting For Fiscal Year 1898-99.

The last meeting of the City Council for the fiscal year 1898-99 was held in Council Chamber Thursday night for the purpose of receiving reports of they leased it for dumping ground for Sale of Caroline land See notice committees and determining upon levy of Thes N. Welch and Thos. P. Wallace, for 99-1900.

Present-Mayor Rowe, presiding. Councilmen Willis, Wroten, Bradley, Embrey. Rowe, Cole, Hurkamp, Gouldman, Lane, Knight, Chancellor, and McCracken. Mr. Wroten, of Public Property, re

ported expenditure for year, \$1,545.70, an excess of appropriation of \$370.70, which amount, on motion of Mr. Willis, was ordered to credit of commit-

Mr. H. B. Lane, of Ordinances, re ported amount expended \$126.16 He also reported that the city ordinances and history of Fredericksburg were ready for printing and binding, and that the work could not be completed before August, and asked that the time of the new ordinances going into effect be extended from July 1, to Sept. t, which, on motion of Mr. Knight,

was so ordered. Mr. McCracken, of Light, reported gross receipts from Gas, \$9,538,01, expenditures \$7,405.50, which includes interest on bonds, showing net revenue of \$2,132 51. Amount paid Rappahannock Electric Light Company for electric light, \$2,444 75.

When Chairman McCracken had finished reading his report Mr. Cole said : emplaint among our coal dealers that the bids for coal used by the gas works the past year were not advertised and that they did not have a chance to compete for furnishing coal to the Corporation and that you bought the coal from Richmond parties Is that so " "Who is your informant, Mr. Cole," said Capt. McCracken "Mr. J. R. Leitch," answervania, made 575 bushels of wheat this ed, Mr. Cole Capt. McCracken—"A year from 2812 acres of land, over 20 part of this is true and a portion unbushels to the acre. Mr. B. says the true. This matter has been brought to my attention before by my friend, Mr. Bradley, who informed me that cer-Prince William Horseman's Association, will accept our thanks for a com- as to this coal contract and I horse show will not say in as emphatic terms. which takes place at Manassas, July as I then asked him to convey my re-

Last year I received a letter from the Peatross will not return to Knoxville Pennsylvania Coal Company asking but will leave about August ist for me, as chairman, why they, whose coal Norfolk, where he will in the future we had been using, could not furnish practice law. us coal direct instead of through a third party. I replied that the committee would be pleased to have a proposition G. Broaddus. from them, I understood that J. R. Leitch & Co. were the age its of the ly, asked Mr Leitch why he had given home here. up the agency for the coal, and told him I had received a proposition from the company. Mr. Leitch shortly after past session, returned to his home here went North to see the parties, and in a on Friday. company that any transactions for their coal must be made through J. R. Leitch the "Lawn." They will spend the Richmond and now it is believed are short time I received a notice from the company that any tranactions for their to the committee, as we knew that there was equally as good coal sold from

other mines. We then notified the coal dealers, of the city, who deal in the coal we wanted. Messrs Wallace & Bro., Jas. John's Wharf, into Stafford. What R Leitch & Co., and B. J. Marshall, that we would receive bids for coal for the works, and would list the quality of each. Mr. Marshall declined to of Mr. S. W. Broaddus. bid Messrs Wallace & Co. furnished Leitch & Co. several cars of Penusylvania coal for which we paid them

\$3 75 per ton. In the meantime we had received a letter from the C. & O. R. R. Co. that day for Albemarle county. they would furnish us coal delivered here for \$3.00 per ton which cost us at the Gas Works \$3 30. We bought sev. of all these kinds of coal and a record were obtained from the C. & O. coal old home, where they will spend some and we made a contract with them. time. We did not advertise for bids for coal, were on Wednesday the recipients of a but bought from the parties named car est child of Mr. James Barlow, who beautiful hand-painted blue ribbon in loads as above and supposed that was has been so critically ill, is much imnonor of the perfect performance of their price. This is a statement of the proved.

> "Is it true Mr. McOracken that Walcontract when I make it. I wish to say further that it was reported that the party with whom I made the contract was a relative of mine. I merely desire to state that this is untrue. Since I have been a member of this body I have carefully refrained from selling

> anything to the city for the use of the gret to notice that this is not generally Mr. Cole-"I suppose that is a fling at me. I have never bid for any contract work of this council, but I claim the right to sell anything I wish over my

sustains me. " Mr. Embrey complimented Chairman McCracken on the action of the committee in the case, and said everymanner, to the interest of the tax pay-

counter for the city's use I have con-

sulted counsel in this matter and he

Mr. M. S. Chancellor, of Fire De year \$45.70, which was \$4.30 less than appropriation.

and Claims, submitted report, which was incorporated in the Finance re-Mr. J. T. Knight, of Health and

Mr. W. H. Hurkamp, of Auditing

Police, reported total number of arrests for year 978, of which 387 were tramps. The number of tramps driven out of the city since Feburary 5, '99, 1,135. Mr Willis then submitted the Finance Committee's report, which will be

Canada's attitude prevents a temporary arrangement by the United States and Great Britain of the Alaska bounpublished on Tuesday. Mr. Knight, of Health, reported in dary.

bad condition the Basin at the upper end of the city, also the lot of land near steamboat wharf in bad condition, and submitted a plan from Engineer S. Sydney Bradford for abating the nur-

810 Main Street.

(Sebree's Old Stand).

when a freshet came the sand was washed back into the river and holes made where the water stood and became stagnant. He was very emphatic in his condeming the dull season nation of the methods pursued by the Prones 7c. pound. government contractors in dredging Maccaroni & the river, that he did not believe that Plain and Mixed Candy 7c. Ib any other body but the Council of this Large box Lye So

city would sit supinely by and let the Lump Starch 4c. lb. work go on as it has for years; that in- Alabaster Starch, with Elucia stead of dyking the channel and throw-Wax 4c. package. ing the sand on the banks, to be Corn Scarch 4c washed away again, it should be car-Large boxes Matei ried away and the piont at Bernard's for 250.)

bend cut off and the river straightened Wooden Wash Boards S so as to prevent daming up when ice | Clothes Pins Ic. dozen Cobbler's Shoe Nails 2c. bex On motion of Mr. Willis the Mayor Ink 3c. bottle. was directed to inform the owners of

property as to its condition and have the nuisance abated. The Council then adjourned

For Over Pifty Years

breaks up, &c.

Mr. Embrey spoke at length as to

the land near the steamboat wharf. H-

said it was government property, that

the sand taken out of the river-that

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CAROLINE.

Mr. T. D. Coghill Chairman and Mr. E G. Moneure. Secretary Small Pire Posonsi Notes.

I gint's Beach, where she will s end t Prof. R. W. Peatross, of Knox-ville acted for the interests of Fiedericksburg is spending the vacation with the fam tly of Maj R. O. Peatross. Professor

> Miss Annie M. Payne is spending w few days with her friend. Miss Coro

Mr. John W. Winston, who has been in Richmond under treatment, for the concern A few days after I, laughing past ten days, has returned to his Mr. John G. Broaddus, who has been attending Richmond College for the

month of July in our midst

Mrs. Louis S. Sczapski, of Louisville, | Canned Vegetables, is the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. McCown. She was accompanied by Master Austin Thompson, who will spend the summer here.

Miss Bessie U. Ooghili is out after Peaches, Apricote, her little indisposition of last week. Miss Kate Campbell, of Atlanta, is spending the vacation with the family

Mr. S. W. Broadins and daughter us several cars of Alleghany coal and spent several days of this week with friends in the lower part of the county. Prof. Percy Walker, who has been spending some time with the family of Mrs. Frances Glassell, left on Mon-

Mr. W. L. Williams, of Essex, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. T. Glassell. Miss Edith McCoy has returned after eral cars of this and a test was made a delightful visit to friends at Penola. Mrs. W. L. Broaddus and two little kept. We found equally as good results daughters will leave on Friday for her Baled Hay, Mill Feed, Corn.

We are glad to learn that the young-

Mr. B. F. Smoot, wife and little son 'Amaret,'' in the heavyweight jump- the committee has not acted in the in' spent Sunday and Monday with his father, Mr. B. F. Smoot, at Smoot's Mill, in this county.

On last Thursday night fire destroyed the kitchen of Miss Lucinda Holloway, of this place. The residence was

Mrs. Kate Richerson and daughter spent Monday in town with friends.

Caroline Tobacco Sales. Mr J. K Cecil, of Caroline county sold his crop of tobacco in Richmond Thursday for the following prices: No. 1 (335 pounds) at \$19 50), No. 2 (380 committees to which I belong. I re- pounds) at \$17, 3 (170 pounds) at \$21. 50. 4 (285 pounds) at \$8 25, and 5 (490 pounds) at \$4 50, making an average his crop around of \$14 15.

AN ATTRACTIVE EXCURSION

Up the Rappahanneck River on Wednesday, July 5th, at Half Rates From All Landings to Fredericksburg and Return

The Business Men's Association of happy and prosperous life. thing had been done in a business like Fredericksburg, being very desirons of cultivating business and social relations with the people along and adjacent to the various landings on the river, have partment, reported expenditures for arranged for the above excursion with the Weems Line of steamers, and most ordially invite one and all to avail themselves of this opportunity to visit this business and historical town.

This being one of the most delightful seasons for a little outing for young and ald and appropriate the seasons to the seasons for a little outing for young and all and appropriate will be done by the

old, and everything will be done by the citizens generally to add to the pleasure of the trip.
Remember! Wednesday, July 5th, from all landings. Returning Thursday, July 6th at 4:30 p. m. sharp.

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MARRIAGE IN KING GEORGE.

Peyton-Owens

Correspondence of The Free Lance.) Berthaville, Va., June 27, 1899. Miss Emma S. Owens, daughter of Mr. Richard H Owens, was married to Mr. Charles H. Peyton, a prominent citizen of King George county, Va , at Oakland B ptist church on Sunday, June 25th, at 8 p. m., Rev.

O. Ellyson, of Washington, officiating. The church was beautifully decora ted and special music was rendered by Miss Beante Owens. Miss Carrie H Owens, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Mr. Richard S. Owens. cousin of the bride, best man. The ushers were Messrs. L. N. Hoge, Jr., J. O Peed, Bowie Grigsby and Bennie Newton, all of the county.

wore white organdie over pink ribbons. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents We wish the young couple a long,

\$100 Reward. \$100.

The bride was gowned in white or-

gendie over pink. The maid of honor

The readers of this paper will be pleased to earn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh | the cremony the couple left for their Ture is the only positive cure now known to future home, near Middleburg, in the th medical fraternity. Catarrh being a con-stitutional disease, requires constitutional tr. atment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken infriends. Mr. and Mrs. Gill have the ternally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing

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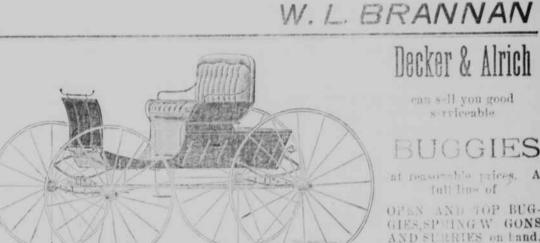
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PRETTY MARRIAGE IN STAFFURD.

Gill Cox.

of Stafford's most efficient school teach- and escorted them to King George, Mr. ers, were united in the holy bonds of Jolliffe is a brother of Mrs. Lewis N matrimony. The church was artisti- Hoge. and flowers, and was filled to its utmost ington this week on business. capacity with the many friends and Mrs. L. N. Hoge left Monday for, a relatives of the bride and groom. Mrs. business trip to Baltimore

of Fredericksburg; Miss Kate Evans, dant and vegetables are of fine quality cousin of the bride, with Mr. Waller Gill, an uncle of the groom. Then came the bridal pair, preceded by little Misses Nelsie Gill and Lizzie Flatford, carrying baskets of white flowers, which was strewn along the aisle in delightful profusion. The couple stood under an arch of evergreens and white roses. while the ceremony was impressively performed by Rev. J. Kyle Gilbert, pastor of the church. The bride was handsomely attired in a costume of white organdie, white satin, and carried in her hands a large bequet of sweet peas. The bridesmaids wore white and carried white flowers. After

and prosperity through life. Spectator.

The Navy Department is contemplating a material reduction in the strength of the fleet at Manila. The battleship Oregon and the monitors will probably be ordered to San Francisco in the fall.

county, where a reception was tendered

best wishes of many for their happiness

King George Notes.

(Correspondence of The Free Lance.) Owens, Va., June 29th. Mr. T. S. Jolliffe and bride, of Clear. Chandler, Okl , where he had practiced brook, Frederick county, Va., are visit. Law for the last ten years. He was the only ing Mr. I. N. Hoge and family at surviving son of the late Alban Payne, One of the prettiest weddings that their beautiful home, "The Cottage," has ever been witnessed in Etenezer on Machedoe Creek. Mr. and Mrs. | quier. He began the practice of law in church Stafford county, was selemnized Jalliffe were married last Wednesday. on last Wednesday evening, June 28th, and reached here on Thursday to spend at 9 o'clock, when Miss Julia Cox, the their honeymoon in this picturesque He afterwards practiced his profession attractive daughter of Capt, and Mrs. and beautiful section of the State, Mr. in Guthrie, Oklahoma, and Chandler, I. C. Cox, and Mr. Robert E. Gill, one James Hoge met them in Washington in the same territory, where his death

cally decorated with evergreens, ferns Mr. Charles A. Davis was in Wash-

Ella Downing presided at the organ, | Quite a large quantity of vegetables and to the strains of the wedding march, and small fruits are being shipped by most sweetly rendered, the bridal party | the steamers on the Potomac, to Washentered the church in the following ington and other cities, and a good manner: Miss Lena Disney, of Wash- many dollars are brought into this secington, D. C., with Mr. Aquilla Cloe, tion in return. Small fruits are abun-

> The gold mine near Kelley's Ford, on the Rappahannock river, has been reinspected recently and a Northern capitalist is so confident of its worth that he has obtained an option on it to hold until October.

WOMAN'S NIGHTMARE. She Shudders When She Realizes the Danger and Pain of Child-bearing. There is so much suffering and danger

There is so much suffering and danger in store for the young mother, that her happy anticipation soon gives way to a feeling of dread at the thought of the pain which she must undergo. This constant fear so preys upon the mind of many women that it fills them with terror and makes baby's coming a source of the greatest anxiety and dread.

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valuable information on the subject.

HIRSH'S.

Beath of Mr L E Payne. Lunis E. Payne, of Fauquier, died suddenly of heart disease on the 31st at M. D. a prominent physician of Fau-Washington, D. C., and was appointed U. S. attorney for Wyoming Territory.

Dr Mullins Chosen. Atlanta, Ga., June 29 -Rev. Dr. E. Mullius, of the Newton Centra Baptist Church, Boston, was today elected to the presidency of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, at Louisville, to succeed Dr. Whitsitt, resigned. The election of Dr. Mullins

Dr. Mullius is forty years old and a

Mr. James W. Popham, of Boston, Culpeper county, died at his home Thursday night after a lingering ill.

ness. Mr. Pepham was about fifty years

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Mississippian born man.

(green) salted, 7 to 9

as follows:

LOCAL MARKETS Wheat, 60 to 70; corp. 43 to 45, meal 90 fowls (live), 6 to 69; estimate to 45 mean 90 fowls (live), 6 to 69; spring chickens, 11 to 12 ets. per lb.; lard, 7 to 8 eggs, 11½ to 13 ets.; butter 15 to 20; hams, 9 to 10, Irish potation, 5) to 6); beef, 3 to 81/6; veal to 4 ½; Pork, 4 to 4 ½; hides (green), 6 to 7; hides (dry), 8 to 10; hides

The Brain Karket. The grain markets closed yesterday

Wool-Unwashed, 19 to 1914 washed,

Ohicago-Wheat, June 71%; July 2; Sept. 731%; Oorn, June 34; July 141%; May oats, 24 New York-Southern wheat, 75 to 80; Southern corn, 40 to 41
Baltimore - Southern wheat, 70 to 75;

Southern corn, 40 to 41. Richmond-Wheat, 70 to 75; corn, andria-Wheat, 65 to 70; corp.